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In the Matter of)

Amendment of Section 73.202(b))

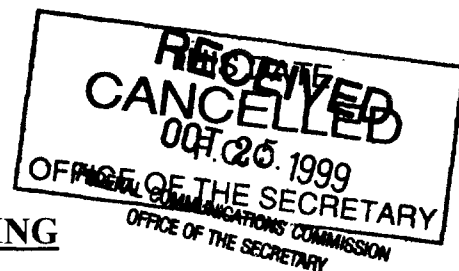
Table of Allotments,)

FM Broadcast Stations,)

(Tallulah, Louisiana)

MM Docket No. _____

RM No. _____



To: Chief, Allocations Branch

PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

Joe Kool Broadcasting, pursuant to Section 1.401 of the Commission's rules, hereby requests the Commission to institute a rulemaking proceeding for the purpose of amending the FM Table of Allotments to add Channel #248A for Tallulah, Louisiana. According, Joe Kool proposes to amend Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules as follows:

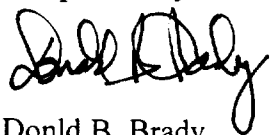
<u>City</u>	<u>Channel No.</u>	
	<u>Present</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
Tallulah, LA	283C3	248A, 283C3

The attached engineering statement prepared by Larry P. Waggoner supports this request. The proposed allocation meets all the separation requirements. Multiple sites are available that would provide city grade coverage over the entire city of Tallulah, with no terrain blockage.

In the event that this petition is granted, Joe Kool Broadcasting will file an application for a construction permit for Channel #248A at Tallulah, and, upon grant of its application, will promptly construct the new facility.

Joe Kool, Broadcasting respectfully requests that the Commission grant this Petition for Rulemaking and amend the FM Table of Allotments for Tallulah, Louisiana.

Respectfully submitted,



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ENGINEERING STUDY IN SUPPORT OF A PETITION TO CHANGE THE TABLE OF FM ALLOCATIONS

Part 73.202

ADDING

**CHANNEL #248A
TALLULAH, LOUISIANA**

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**Engineering Statement
Joe Kool Broadcasting
Channel #248A, Tallulah, LA**

I, Larry P. Waggoner, have been retained by Joe Kool Broadcasting to prepare this Engineering Study in support of their petition to amend the Part 73.202 Table of FM Allotments. The petition is to add Channel #248A (97.5 MHz) to the listing for Tallulah, Louisiana.

There is presently only one channel allotment for Tallulah. The petition is to add a second channel. The amended entry for the city would read:

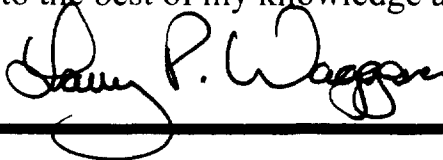
Tallulah, LA 248A, 283C3

(KBYO-FM is now licensed for operation in Tallulah on Channel 285A. There is an outstanding construction permit, BPH-9510025IZ for the station to operate on Channel #283C3 as per D91-211)

Exhibit #1 is the results of a Class A separation study conducted on the coordinates of record for the city of Tallulah. The study disclosed one slightly short spaced existing station. The center of the city is 87.42 km distant from WFMN, Ch.#247C3, Flora, Mississippi. This is 1.58 kilometers short of the required 89 kilometers (1st adjacent Class C3 to A). WFMN is located east of Tallulah on a bearing of 86.3°. There is one close spaced station, KLMB, Ch.#247A, Bastrop, Louisiana. The required 72 kilometer separation line for KLMB is located 2.7 kilometers northwest of Tallulah (1st adjacent Class A to A).

Exhibit #2 is an Allocation Site Area Map. The map shows clearly that there are many possible sites for the proposed allocation southwest of the city of Tallulah. City grade coverage over the entire city could be obtained with no terrain blockage.

Channel #248A can be allocated to Tallulah, Louisiana and be in full compliance with the minimum distance separations listed in Part 73.207 of the Commission's Rules. All statements made and the data presented in this report is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and ability.

 Mar. 19, 99

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FM Study for: JOE KOOL
 Location: TALLULAH, LA
 Call City, State
 Status Proponent

FCC Database Date: 3/99
 Channel Class: A
 Chan Class Freq kW Latitude Dist.
 File Number HAAT Longitude Azm. Clear (km)

>>>>>> Study For Channel 248 97.5 MHz <<<<<<<

WFMN	FLORA, MS	247 C3	97.3	19.5	32-27-21	87.42	89	73.215
LIC	CROSSROADS COMMUNICAT	BLH-970710KA	112		90-15-32	86.3	-1.58	SHORT
	Use of 73.215 for short spacing requires:					72	+15.4	CLEAR
WFMN	FLORA, MS	247 C3	97.3	19.5	32-27-21	87.42	89	73.215
CP	TELESOUTH COMMUNICATI	BPH-980924IF	112		90-15-32	86.3	-1.58	SHORT
	Use of 73.215 for short spacing requires:					72	+15.4	CLEAR
KLMB	BASTROP, LA	247 A	97.3	5.9	32-40-20	74.7	72	
LIC	MAX BROADCASTING CO.	BLH-960906KD	100		91-55-06	293.3	+2.7	CLOSE
WTYJ	FAYETTE, MS	249 A	97.7	3.00	31-40-32	81.6	72	
LIC	NATCHEZ COMMUNICATION	BLH-831021AH	91		91-06-18	174.6	+9.6	CLOSE
WTYJ	FAYETTE, MS	249 A	97.7	6.0	31-40-32	81.6	72	73.215
CP	NATCHEZ COMMUNICATION	BPH-950803IB	100		91-06-18	174.6	+9.6	CLOSE
KPCH	DUBACH, LA	249 C1	97.7	60.	32-41-05	159.4	133	73.215
APP	WILLIAM W. BROWN	BPH-980904IG	155		92-51-08	281.5	+26.4	CLEAR
One-Step Application-From Channel 249C2 per One-Step Application BPH 970623IB-Amended 990122								
WTRCFM	NATCHEZ, MS	247 A	97.3	1.45	31-30-33	101.8	72	
LIC	JAMES C. WILLIAMS	BLH-930527KB	209		91-24-19	191.8	+29.8	CLEAR
ALLOC	DUBACH, LA	249 C1	97.7		32-47-32	165.1	133	
VAC		-		0	92-53-08	285.4	+32.1	CLEAR
Reserved for KPCH per One-Step Application BMPH-980904IG								
KPCH	DUBACH, LA	249 C2	97.7	50.	32-40-03	138.6	106	
LIC	WILLIAM W. BROWN	BLH-980714KC	139		92-37-50	282.3	+32.6	CLEAR
*To Channel 249C1 per One-Step Application BPH-980904IG-One-Step Application								

Tallulah, Louisiana Ch.#248A Site Map

